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Corn which at gathering time sold for 75 cents a barrel in the field, has advanced to \$1.50 and is likely to reach \$2. before the new crop comes in. While many farmers have disposed of their corn, there are others who anticipated the rise and have now a surplus in their cribs. Thomas Gibson has 500 barrels in his crib; Col. Caperton has about 600 barrels and there are others—Richmond Register.

Mrs. J. B. Hughes, of this county, has in her possession a piece of continental currency which was paid to her grandfather as a soldier in the Revolutionary war. *Sharpsburg World.*

## **A Prolific Sow.**

A Grass Lick farmer has a sow three years old, of Poland China breeding, which has had six litters of pigs, divided as follows: 14, 17, 15, 17, 17, 15, making 95 pigs in all.

## **Contest Decided.**

The contest in this the Tenth Congressional District, which has created considerable attention, was decided last Friday, when the committee reported in favor of Mr. Kendall.

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## No Mistake

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The place to buy the most goods for little money is of CASH DEALERS

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W. R. CASSIDY

Clay City, Ky.,

Is a cash dealer, and thereby saves his customers MANY DOLLARS each year.

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## CLOAKS AND CAPES.

I have an immense stock of Ladies Capes and Cloaks that I bought at WAY LOW DOWN prices, and am selling them the same way.

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## CLOTHING.

I have a Large Stock of the LATEST STYLE suits, and can save customers from \$1. to \$5. on a suit.

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## GENERAL MERCHANDISE

In fact, I carry a Complete line of General Merchandise and will save you big money when you trade at my store.

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When in Clay City, it will pay you to call at

## CASSIDY'S.

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**SPOUTSPRING, KY.**  
Saturday, Feb. 13, 1897.

Our motto: A home-made paper.

## LOCAL BREVITES.

Subscribe for The Times.

Job Printing done cheap at this office.

Reuben Tipton is visiting on Cow creek.

Sunny Abney, of Furnace, was here Thursday.

Candidates were very numerous in town Saturday.

T. J. Fletcher, of Vaughn's Mill, was in town Thursday.

Miss Lily Barker is spending a few days with her parents at Irvine.

Mrs. Josephine Burgher is visiting her daughter, Mrs W. R. Cassidy at Clay City.

Died—Feb. 11, Fannie, the eight month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris Embs.

G. W. Lewis, of Wade's Mill, is in this county buying fat hogs to ship. He wants a car load or two.

Auction at J. E. Burgher's next Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Doc Tuttle, of Irvine, was in town Thursday laying in a supply of merchandise.

The bachelors of Mt. Sterling have formed a social organization called "The Gander Club".

The County Board of Supervisors have raised the taxable valuation of property in Estill county \$65,000.

Jeff Wright was in town Saturday buying some of the necessary effects preparatory to housekeeping.

While Tommy Christopher was chopping wood a stick flew up and hit him in the head, inflicting a painful wound.

R. A. Bohannon, formerly of Clay City but now of Jackson, is spoken of as a candidate for State senator in this district.

J. F. McKinney bought this week of T. J. Fletcher 10 shoats, that averaged 75 pounds at \$2.65; 6 from W. L. Jackson that averaged 95 pounds at \$2.75.

Married—At the residence of the brides brother, Solimon D. Ewell in Powell county, Wednesday Feb. 10, Mr. Davis Barnett to Mrs. Lou Anderson, Judge Curtis Mastin officiating.

Auction next Saturday at Burgher's.

## The Sick,

George Gravett is confined to his room with Pneumonia fever.

William Morris Embs continues very low, with no hopes of recovery.

## NOTICE.

All persons owing me are requested to settle same at once as we are needing the use of the money.

J. E. Burgher, Jr.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Baptist—Rev. Geo. W. McIntosh, pastor; services every first Saturday and Sunday.

M. E. Church South—Rev. S. M. Carrier pastor; services on third Saturday night and Sunday morning.

M. E. Church—Rev. Frank Grider, pastor; services at Kimbrell's chapel first Sunday.

## FREE COLUMN.

In this column we will insert an advertisement of three lines free to any of our subscribers.

FOR SALE—100 bushels of slacked lime at 8½ c per bu.  
David Blanton.

## Strayed.

A yearling red heifer strayed away from my farm the last of January. Any information leading to her discovery will be liberally rewarded. Morris Larison, Spoutspring, Ky.

Attend the Auction next Saturday at Burgher's.

**ASASSIN.**

About 8 o'clock Tuesday night a foul crime was committed at Jeffersonville. James Cockram, one of Montgomery's best citizens and a prominent merchant of Jeffersonville, was the victim. He was shot with a Winchester rifle by Bura Caywood breaking his neck. Caywood made his escape, but is being pursued.

**Fire at Carlisle.**

Carlisle was visited Wednesday morning by a fire in which the following houses were burned: J. F. Firth's hardware store, E. A. Poynter's photo establishment and the St. Cloud Hotel, adjoining, entailing a loss of \$25,000, with no insurance save \$3,000 on the hardware store building, owned by B. F. Adair.

Five hundred dollars in cash belonging to Mrs. Poynter was also consumed in the flames.

The Paris Fire Company responded nobly to a call for aid, and did much toward saving the adjoining buildings. The fire removed one of the town's oldest landmarks, the Hotel which has stood for over fifty years.

The Democrats of Montgomery County will hold a primary election March 26, for the purpose of nominating the various county offices.

Three men were drowned near Paintsville, in attempting to cross the river on the ice when it broke through.

**CORRESPONDENCE.****VAUGHN'S MILL.**

Uncle Isaac Mize is out again.

John Neal has moved to little creek.

George Kincaid has moved to the Burgher farm.

Lyle Kennon of Wades Mill came up on a visit last week.

Miss Mary Belle Bush of near Stanton was visiting relatives at this place last week.

**DARLINGSVILLE.**

The river was very high the first of the week.

John Gravett came up Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Tempie Kimbrell returned home from near Winchester Monday.

Miss Mayme Kidd is teaching a subscription school at Waltersville.

Jasper Mastin of near this place is selling out his household furniture and will go to Ford in a few days.

Gratz Arnett, a desperado, who has killed two men, attempted to murder Circuit Judge D. B. Redwine, at Salyersville and would have succeeded had it not been for interference of bystanders.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Owing to my limited capital I am compelled to make my terms CASH or its equivalent. I extend thanks to my former customers for their patronage of the past and solicit a continuance of same on a Cash basis. As heretofore, I will continue to keep the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices.

Respectfully,  
**J. E. BURGHIER.**

**Blacksmithing.**

All kinds of blacksmithing neatly and cheaply done at my shop.

**Thos. McKinney.**  
SPOUTSPRING, KY

**J. L. KING,**

**INDIAN FIELDS, KY.,**

will be in

**SPOUTSPRING**

On Wednesday of each week after all kinds of produce. Save your produce for me. I pay the highest market price for same in CASH.

You should take advantage of our present low clubbing rate with the Enquirer. 65 cts. for both 1 yr.

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# AUCTION!

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**SATURDAY, FEB. 20,**

Beginning At

**10 A.M.**

There will be auctioned off at my Store a large am't

OF

**General Merchandise**

Regardless of Cost; They must go.

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All the Men and Boy boots in the house, all the heavy Women and Children shoes in the house must go.

I am going to keep no winter goods over, so now is your chance to get goods cheap. Terms made known on day of sale. Positively no by-bidding allowed.

**J. E. BURGHER, JR.**

SPOUTSPRING, KY.